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Subject: Upcoming New Bedford Harbor Meetings!

Hi all,

Just a reminder and heads up about the next few Harbor Cleanup Monthly meetings!

Thursday July 29, 2010 7:00 - 8:45 p.m.

**** LOCATION TBD **** It MIGHT be in the same 3rd floor room at the main library, but we are waiting to hear if the room is fully repaired from recent flooding issues. If you have any suggestions of alternative meeting locations, please feel free to share them with me.

Also note that due to sparse attendance in prior years during the month of August we will not hold a monthly meeting in August. We will report out in September regarding the results of the 2010 dredging season. So please mark September 30th, 2010 7 - 8:45 p.m. on your calendars!

Also a reminder that we are still within the Comment Period for modification of the 1998 Record of Decision 's Harbor Cleanup Plan to include a lower harbor confined aquatic disposal cell (CAD cell). This proposed change is outlined in a draft Explanation of Significant Difference (ESD) document. This document remains in draft form until public comments and a response by EPA are officially recorded. You may view this document at the New Bedford

Harbor Site's Administrative Record file at the reference desk of the New Bedford Public Library, 613 Pleasant Street, New Bedford, MA (508 991 6280), at the EPA Region 1 Records Center, 5 Post Office Square, Boston, MA (617 918 1440) and on the harbor cleanup website at www.epa.gov/ne/nbh.

Please note that the comment period for the draft ESD has been extended. Comments will now be accepted from June 25 through September 10, 2010. Comments can be submitted either in writing or via email, as follows:
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Mail written comments to:

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Thank you and we hope you're having a wonderful summer!

Sincerely,

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